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TOPIC -----

I am ouputting video from my Power Macintosh AV to an external video source using the S-Video port. My Monitors control panel is set for 256 colors yet the video appearing on the television monitor is in shades of grey.

Does this indicate a problem with the AV card?

DISCUSSION -----

There are two different S-Video cable adapters provided with the Power Macintosh AV computer. Using the S-Video cable adapter marked IN instead of the adapter marked OUT will produce this problem.

Externally, the adapters look identical except for the IN/OUT markings on the flat part of the connector. Internally, they have different wiring which will cause the loss of color signal.

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